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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

Box PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231  
Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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FOR: PERSISTENT AGENTS

Enclosed are:

- 30 pages of cover sheet, specification, claims, abstract.  
 Declaration.  
 Priority Claimed.  
 Certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 sheets of formal drawing.  
 An assignment of the invention to Oracle Corporation  
and the assignment recordation fee.  
 Power of attorney and Revocation of Previous Powers.  
 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.  
 Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.  
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 Preliminary Amendment

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

|                             | NO. OF CLAIMS |     | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE    | AMOUNT            |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-----|--------------|---------|-------------------|
| Total Claims                | 17            | -20 | 0            | \$18.00 | \$0.00            |
| Independent Claims          | 7             | -3  | 4            | \$78.00 | \$312.00          |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s) |               |     |              |         | \$0.00            |
| <b>Basic Fee</b>            |               |     |              |         | <b>\$690.00</b>   |
| Total of Above Calculations |               |     |              |         | \$1,002.00        |
| Less ½ for Small Entity     |               |     |              |         | \$0.00            |
| Assignment & Recording Fee  |               |     |              |         | \$40.00           |
| <b>Total Fee</b>            |               |     |              |         | <b>\$1,042.00</b> |

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Respectfully submitted,

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